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SLIGHT GAINS ARE MADE BY GERMANS **NOW ON OFFENSIVE**

Allies Relinquish Ground Voluntarily. It is Said, and Will Retake it in Good Season.

MAIN LINE STILL HOLDS OUT

Germans Greatly Strengthened, Are Pressing Heavily Against French and British But Latter continue Flanking Movement and Rush Fresh troops to Scene,

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TELLS OF JOKE PLAYED ON GERMANS •

PARIS, Oct. 6 .- "No troops ever fought so wildly as the Germans in this war," declared a wounded French colonel who · arrived here from the front to- day. "They have invented new ... tricks of warfare, combining · cavalry and artillery. They have • big automobiles on which are mounted guns. One of these accompanies each cavalry detachment. When the cavalry encounters a wire fence, it re-• tires, leaving the gun which • ◆.throws shells until the path is ◆ · cleared.

"We played a good joke on • • the Germans at Verdune, Av- • lators were trying to fire our . hospitals and dropped bombs until one of the hospitals be- . gan to blaze. They thought . they were burning our woundeded but they were not for when . the fire began we took our . wounded from the hospital and . • filled it with Germans. They • burned 60 of their own men to • death. It was a good joke on • . them.

PARIS Oct 6 - Strengthened by the arrival of reinforcements, the Germans were gaining slightly at some points, it was admitted at military headquarters. At other points. it was asserted, the Germans had been repulsed.

That the line of the allies had been pierced anywhere, was denied. The combined forces were continu-

ing their flanking movement and fresh troops were being rushed to withstand the Teutonic pressure at points were it was most severe. Reports received from the front

told of a German attempt to develop n new offensive in the Argonne region and along the Meuse where night and day the fighting has continued.

Aix la Chappelle. An official statement issued this

afternoon was generally encouraging.
Fierce fighting was still in progress about Arras, it was said, but the Germans had made no substantinl gains.

Between the Somme and the Oise advances and retirements but thus the conflict continued with alternate far there was no material advantages for either side,

The Germans had been repulsed in on attempt to break the allies line at Lassigny, it was said. This attempt. endangered the Gallie left,

LONDON, Oct. 6.-The early relief of Brussels and Antwerp were

predicted this afternoon, With the Germans admittedly on the offensive again on both the right interment was made in the Olney tain from them a form. Conditions and left wings, British military ex- cemetery, perts insisted that the conditions were improving for the allies.

tics was forced on the kaiser's staft, had asked and received permission in the school, having thirty-six freshit was asserted by the discovery that to unload a .32 caliber revolver. The men II, and fifty six freshmen I, or the spirit of the Germans dropped little girl , was engaged in washing a total of ninety-two in all. Such a as soon as they found themselves on the supper dishes while her brother large class soon felt the need of or-

and would be regained when the the bullet entered her eye, killing her on Ralph Hargett for president, Zoproper time came.

kalaer had removed Von Moltke as so came down with the body, states secretary, and Rachel Martin for chief of staff lacked confirmation that some of the other children came committeeman at large. here but it was generally believed. over to his house crying and that he The officers are all compete-It was said Von Moltke had never hurried over to find the little girl students and are devoting all energy been successful and his military as- dead, sociates indulged in criticism of his Christian Science views as inappro-

priate to his profession. The basis of the kaiser's reported disapproval, however, was said to be Von Moltke's refusal to sanction a thought to be the cause. spectacular campaign which the emperor had demanded.

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"BOBS" AT 82 PREPARES TO GARE FOR WOUNDED



Lord Roberts, the former head of countrymen not to underestimate the The German bombardment of the the British army, who, on his 82nd power of Germany with its 66,000,000 allies right was slackened somewhat birthday, spent his time preparing people. "I cannot help thinking," he and it was announced that the Ger- for the reception of the wounded by said, "that the great task of subduman Guns were worn out from con- the Red Cross-society he has organ- ing that nation will begin when we, stant use. It was understood fresh ized in Ascot, his home village. In with our French, Russian and Belgian cannon were being forwarded from an interview given out on his birth- allies have driven the Germans into day Lord Roberts urged his fellow- the heart of their own territory."

SHOOTING LAID TO REST

ER IS BURIED HERE THIS AFTERNOON.

Bearing the dead body of their ten year old daughter, Violet, who was the advanced classes, the freshmen if it had been successful, would have accidentally killed by her fourteen of Pendleton high school have oryear old brother Ben, Sunday even- ganized, and are preparing to draw ing, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lilly arrived up a constitution for their class. in Pendleton last evening from their Roy Zurba and Alta Mentzer comhome above Upper McKay. The fu- pose the committee appointed for this neral was held this afternoon at 2 purpose. They will examine the cono'clock at the Folsom chapel and stitutions of the other classes and ob-

Lilly, the boy had been alowed to ing to their needs, The resumption of aggressive tac- carry firearms and Sunday evening The Fresnmen Class is the largest was sitting near extracting the shells ganization, and after some urging on It was said that all the groun from the gun. Some remark caused the part of advanced students, they which the Teutons had gained was her to turn her head in his direction met last week and elected officers. relinquished voluntarily by the allies just at the moment when the revol- Some difficulty was experienced in for their own advantage and could ver was accidentally discharged and the electin, but the choice finally fell

instantly. A report from Amsterdam that the H. A. Meinner, a neighbor who al- Reed for treasurer, Miss Graham for

> Veteran Suicides. ROSEBURG, Ore., Oct. 6 -A. Hayden, a war veteran, 80, suicided by

> shooting himself. Ill health was

FRESHMAN CLASS OF HIGH SCHOOL HAS ORGANIZED

UP-OFFICERS OF CLASS ARE CHOSEN.

Following the better example of

of the freshmen class will be studied According to the story told by Mr. and a constitution drawn up accord-

eth Carney for vice president, Arnold

toward placing the newly organized class upon a substantial basis.

For the first time in many years the freshmen have taken a great interest in student body affairs, and the influence of their large class has

It is expected that the new consti-Don't worry today; put it off till tution will be ready for amendment and ratification by next Thursday, lallies,

SEEKING GERMANS

Three Fighters are Sighted in South- car Underwood, praising democratic congressmen. ern Waters By Vessels Which Arrive in Portland.

JAP, FRENCH, BRITISHER SEEN

Believed Their Destination is to Clear MISS CLEVELAND OF MICHIGAN. Southern Waterway of Teuton Cruisers Reported to Have Demoralized Trade in that Section-Were Under Full Steam,

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 6 .- Steamwar vessels of the allies north Pacific fleet-the British cruiser New Castle, the Japanese cruiser Idzuma and the French cruiser Montcalmmasters of coast vessels which were in port today.

The New Castle was the first sighted by Captain Lillian of the Arrof liner Navajo, 30 miles south of Cape

The master of another steamer

the Japanese flag and the other the French flag, five miles further to sea and 20 miles further south. No doubt of the identity of the vessels existed in the mind of the sea, captains. Captain Lilliland believed that the allies fleet was bound for south Pacific waters to remove the German cruisers which have been demoralizing trade in the section,

25 Injured in Car Accident, SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6 .- Twenty

when he tried to reverse the motor.

NEWS SUMMARY

General. Slight gains are made by the Ger-

recover ground when time comes, of staff.

cific by sea-captains who arrive in that action by an insult Anderson had Portland. American trooper is dangerously

wounded by Mexican bullet, Relief for Antwerp and Brussels is BIG PLANT AT SPOKANE IS believed to be near.

Local. Mose Taylor found guilty of assault: fined \$250.

New instructor added to high school normal course,

Little Lilly girl killed as she was washing dishes,

WILL BE ENDORSED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 .-Blanket endorsement of all democratic congressmen who are seeking reelection will be . • made by President Wilson when • congress adjourns, it was learn-· ed here.

It is understood the president . will write to house leader, Os- . · car Underwood, praising all the

SPECIAL TEACHER COMES TO DIRECT NORMAL COURSE

ELECTED BY BOARD FEW DAYS AGO,

To assume charge of the normal course in the Pendleton high school. Miss J. Arlene Cleveland of Cold Wa ing south under full headway, three ter, Michigan, arrived in the city or No. 17 today, having been elected by the board several days ago. The normal course, installed last year in the high school, has become so popular were seen early Sunday morning by and so many students have signified their desire to enroll in it that it was felt that a special instructor should be employed. Last year Supt. J. S. Landers and Principal A. C. Hampton personally, had charge of the normal classes but the increased attendance at the high school and the additional classes necessary has left sighted two warships, one carrying them little time for the normal work. Miss Cleveland comes with the highest recommendations and a record of long experience in this branch of school

MOSES TAYLOR IS FINED \$250 ON ASSAULT CHARGE

Found guilty of assault at 1:30 this five were injured, 10 of them seri- afternoon, Moses Taylor, well known ance, will cost \$15,000, and Captain ously, when a Masonic avenue car, Athena farmer, waived time for sen- Johnson, of the life-saving station, is carrying 100 people, jumped the track tence and was fined \$250 by Circuit expending \$7000 on his edifice. at Page street and plunged into a pris Judge Phelps. Taylor was charged vate dwelling, demolishing the front in the indictment with assault with a of the house. The motorman lost dangerous weapon, a penitentiary of pletion. control when the brakes failed to fense, but the jury compromised upwork and the trolly pole left the wire on an offense punishable by a fine or jail sentence.

The case did not go to the jury until

ed for nearly an hour, have been removed by kaiser as chief Taylor was that he had merely pushed an outline on the industrial survey an outline on the industrial survey which he has made of the state. Allies war vessels are seen in Pa. hands and that he was provoked to uttered against the woman cook.

SWEPT BY \$100,000 FIRE

SPOKANE, Oct. 6 .- Fire originat-

PETROGRAD, Oct. 6 .- A German Bullets Fly Into Observation Trenchforce, reported to be entrenching on the Russian side of the frontier, following its defeat at the Niemen river, was today said to be failing back upon its defenses on the Prussian

The Russians were threatening the front and flank of the retreating ar-

The Germans were estimated to have lost large numbers of cannon which had to be abandoned when they became mired in swamps during the retreat.

SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 .- Prior to the senate war tax caucus this after-at Naco, Sonora, had refused a truce noon, the democratic finance committee held a meeting and an amendment to the bill was adopted fixing the rate at four cents each as the tax on each dollars' worth of gum. It was decided too to tax patent medicines, for which there was a private formula. Perfumes, cosemtics, hair oil, dyes and dentifrices will be subject to a tax similar to that during the Spanish war,

Three Buildings Begun. BANDON, Ore., Oct. 6 .- The work of driving piling for three modern concrete buildings started here. The total value of the new structures is All the blocks will be under way by October 29 and will be rushed to com-

Oregon "U" to Aid Land Show. UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eunoon, most of the morning being tak- been set as University Day at the fied the war department that Maytoen up with the pleas. L. A. Esteb for Manufacturers' and Land Products rena was besieging Naco and that an the defendant made an exhaustive ar- show to be held in Portland. The American trooper had been wounded gument of more than an hour and a University of Oregon has been asked by a stray bullet, half. District Attorney Stelwer talk- to furnish the programme for one day at the fair and will send Dr. The state contended that Taylor Hodge and H. B. Miller as speakers mans but allies believed prepared to had struck R. C. Anderson, who had from the college. Dr. Hodge has been working for him, with a long chosen "Agricultural Education" as General Von Moltke reported to pole over the head. The defense of his subject, while Mr. Miller will give which he has made of the state.

> Gifts to Yale Fall Off. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 6 .- The

054,868.58 last year.

Considered as a teaching organizaing in the Holt Manufacturing com- tion, the university closed the year ned to destroy the line. Indian on reservation commits sui- pany plant did \$100,000 damage, with a deficit of \$7658, the amount Equipment from nearby towns was being considerably smaller than the used to help save the warehouse dis- deficit of a year ago. The total investments amount to \$14,624,258.58

AMERICAN TROOPER **WOUNDED WHILE HE WATCHES MEXICANS**

es on Border-Private May Not Recover From Injury.

GUNS TURNED ACROSS LINE

Citizens of Naco, Ariz., Say Mexicans Deliberately Fired Into United States Territory-Machine Gun Action Alleged to Have Been Almed at U. S. Trenches

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 6 .- Leroy Bradord, a private of Troop G, 16th United States cavalry, was dangerously wounded by a Mexican bullet today. He was shot through the breast and it was stated he might not recover. It was reported that General Hill, commanding the Carranzista troops

arranged by both factions. Occasional firing occurred during the morning today. During one of these exchanges, Bradford, who occupied an observation trench near the border, was wounded.

Citizens here asserted that the Mexcan soldiers fired repeatedly on the American trench. They also asserted that Mexican machine guns were pointed across the border late yesterday afternoon and several shots fired.

AGUAS CALIENTES, Oct. 6-Villa arrived to confer with the delegation of Carranzista generals here. He was accompanied by 10 generals of \$40,000. The "B. B." block is being the northern division. Preliminaries erected by Biggs & Buckingham. The to the conference will be held at once Lowe & Laird block, second in import- October 10 is set as the date for the formal opening of the peace meet-

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6 .- Governfficials declared they did not expect General Villa's forces would make an attack on those of Gen. Hill for at least a week. Major General Bliss, commanding the American gene, Ore., Oct. 6.-October 29 has troops on the Mexican border, noti-

KAISER'S FORCES TRYING OWN ENCIRCLING MOVEMENT

PARIS, Oct. 6 .- An attempt by the German right wing at an enefrcling movement of its own was suspected annual report of Yale university, from reports of the presence of Uhshows total gifts and bequests for the lans near Lille. Experts were inyear ending June 30, of \$1.019,846.73 clined to think this merely was a reas compared with \$1,416,935.84 for connoitering force, but in view of the the previous year. The net increase fact Lille was on the main railway in funds is \$650,245.74, as against \$1 .- the allies would have to use to relieve Brussels and Antwerp, it was thought possible the Germans plan-

DIRIGIBLE BALLOONS ARE ORDERED BY UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 .- Local air ship builders admitted that the american government has ordered two dirigible balloons as a result of developments in the European war, After an investigation of conditions abroad, Colonel Reber ordered the purchase to be made.

88 Saved From Tahoma SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 6 .- Eightyeight men in all, who were on the United States revenue cutter Tahoma when she was wrecked east of Agattu Island, were picked up by the steamer Cordova and the coast survey steamer Patterson. Among the castaways were law of-

ficers and witnesses who had been attending criminal trials in the Aleutians. The Cordovia is taking 19 men to Cordova, and the Patterson is carrying 29 men to Unabaska.

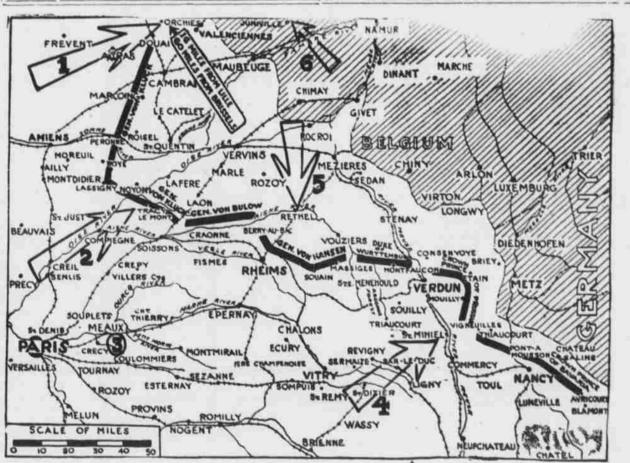
Reef on Way to Troops. NEW YORK, Oct. 6 - Thirty-three housand quarters of fresh beef-aproximating 3500 tons-were recenty loaded aboard the British steamer Highland Watch, intended, it is said for British troops in Europe,

All of the meat consists of American beef, shipped here by Chicago pack-

Justice Wright Resigns

WASHINGTON Out & - Juntice Daniel Thew Wright pendered his resignation as mem-· supreme beach. He asked that · . It become effective on Novem-

MAP SHOWING RELATIVE POSITIONS OF ARMIES IN BATTLE OF THE AISNE



amn beat back termans a week ago wing retired on September 4. already been keenly felt in the high This column is now advancing tow-

rd Cambrai. No. 2-Tracy-le-Hont, where heavy

No. 4-The French official state- folding back. iregion of St. Mihiel.

No. 1-Orchies, where French col- No. 3-Where the German right | No. 5-Rethel, the base upon which the two German wings appear to be • ber of the District of Colombia •

ment declares that the Germans have No. 6-Juniville, the main supply ber in German attack was repulsed by been pressed across the Meuse in the depot of the right wing and center of the Cerman arms